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LU-TA SHIPYARD

CHINA

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

CHINA'S ONLY G-CLASS SSB IS NO LONGER OBSERVED AT LU-TA SHIPYARD. IT HAD BEEN MOORED AT THE SAME PLACE ALONGSIDE A COMMERCIAL PIER FROM SEPTEMBER 64 UNTIL OCTOBER 65.

2. REMARKS:

[REDACTED] FIRST REVEALED THE EXISTENCE OF A G-CLASS SSB (BALLISTIC MISSILE SUBMARINE) IN CHINA AT THE LU-TA SHIPYARD. REANALYSIS OF [REDACTED] REVEALED A PROBABLE G-CLASS SSB PRESENT ON [REDACTED] FURTHER ANALYSIS OF PREVIOUS [REDACTED] KH PHOTOGRAPHY CONFIRMS THAT A G-CLASS SSB WAS CONSTRUCTED ON THE CENTER BUILDING WAY OF THE OLD DAIREN SHIPBUILDING COMPANY, ONE OF THE TWO SHIPBUILDING FACILITIES NOW COMPRISING THE LU-TA SHIPYARD.

3. LOCATION:

ON KOREA BAY IN THE EASTERN SECTION OF THE CITY OF LU-TA AT 3855N 12138E.

4. COLLATERAL/COMINT:

NONE.

5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION:

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6. NEGATION DATE: NONE

7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE: SIX [REDACTED] AND 11 KH MISSIONS.

8. DIMENSIONS/SPECIFICATIONS: G-CLASS SSB :  
LOA- 320 FT  
BEAM- [REDACTED]  
SAIL- [REDACTED]  
MAXIMUM SPEED- 17.5 KNOTS  
ENDURANCE- 24,400 NM AT 8.3 KNOTS  
THE G-CLASS SUBMARINE IS ARMED WITH THREE  
BALLISTIC MISSILES CARRIED IN AND LAUNCHED  
FROM VERTICAL TUBES LOCATED IN THE SAIL.  
MISSILES ARE BELIEVED LAUNCHED WHILE THE SUB-  
MARINE IS SURFACED.  
THE ASSOCIATED MISSILES ARE ESTIMATED TO BE  
SS-N-4 WHICH ARE [REDACTED]  
DIAMETER WITH A MAXIMUM RANGE OF 350 NM.

9. MISSION READOUT: THIS MISSION REVEALS THAT THE G-CLASS SSB IS  
NO LONGER AT LU-TA SHIPYARD. ITS PRESENT LOCATION IS UNKNOWN. THE FOLLOWING  
VESSELS ARE OBSERVED AT LU-TA SHIPYARD:

VESSELS IN WATER

1 R/W-CLASS SS

1 S-1-CLASS SS

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1 GORDYY-CLASS ODD  
5 SHANGHAI-CLASS PTF  
2 PROBABLE WHAMPOA-CLASS YP  
1 LSM-1-CLASS LSM  
4 LST-1-CLASS LST  
1 LARGE FREIGHTER  
2 MEDIUM FREIGHTERS  
3 SMALL FREIGHTERS  
SEVERAL SMALL CRAFT IN YARD AREA

VESSELS UNDER CONSTRUCTION ON BUILDING WAYS

21 SHANGHAI-CLASS PTF HULLS COMPLETE  
10 BOW SECTIONS ONLY  
8 MID AND STERN SECTIONS JOINED  
2 MID SECTIONS ONLY  
2 STERN SECTIONS ONLY

VESSELS IN PORT AREA

7 LARGE, 7 MEDIUM, AND 8 SMALL FREIGHTERS  
2 FUEL BARGES  
NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT

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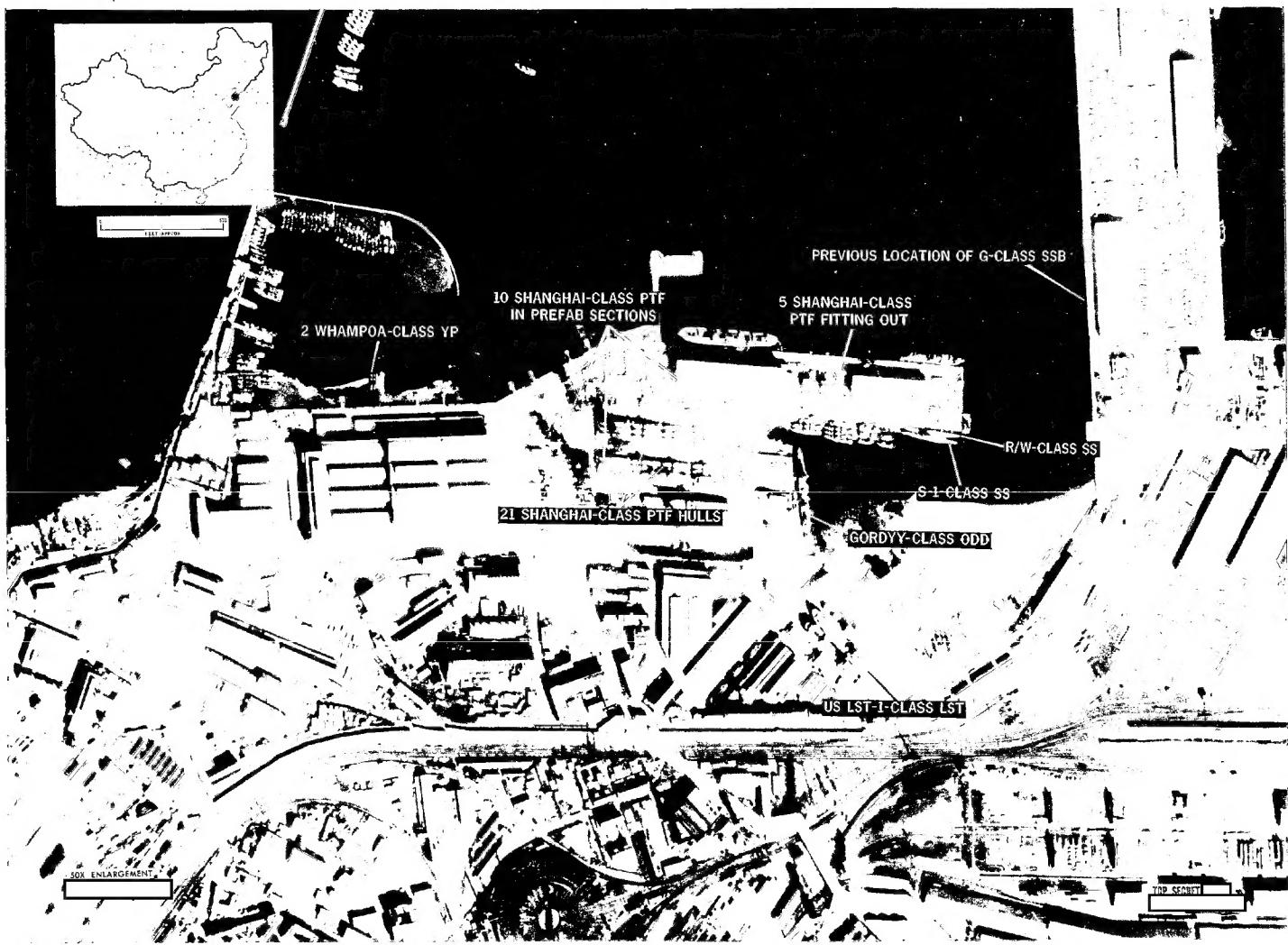
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